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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Baer, et al. Art Unit : 1743
Serial No. : 09/844,187 Examiner : Latoya C. Younger
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Title : LASER CAPTURE MICRODISSECTION (LCM) EXTRACTION DEVICE AND
DEVICE CARRIER, AND METHOD FOR POST-LMC FLUID PROCESSING

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated March 23, 2006, be extended for three months to and including September 25, 2006 (September 23, 2006 being a Saturday).

Enclosed is a check for \$1020 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 14255-034001.

Respectfully submitted,

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